IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated September 20, 2005, of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-3, 5-7, 9 and 10.

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Respectfully submitted,

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